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THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

SIGNOR CAGLI
NEW AND MUCH AUGMENTED
ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.

December 2nd, 1890.
FIFTH SUBSCRIPTION NIGHT,
will be produced
THE AMUSING COMIC OPERA,
by BROTHER RICCI,
"CRISPINO E LA COMARE."
First Appearance of Signor BRUTOLO First

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Family Tickets, to admit Three	\$7.
Dress Circle	\$3.
Stalls	50c

Doors open at 8.30 P.M., to commence at 9 P.M.
 Seats may be secured and Tickets obtained at
 KELLY and WALSH'S.
 Hongkong, 1st December, 1880. [1854
 FOR BANGKOK.

"RAJANATTIANUHAAR."
G. T. Hopkins, Commander, will be despatched
for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 4th
instant, at FOUR P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents.
Hongkong, 1st December, 1880. 1859
FOR SALE.
CUTLER, PALM-Ht & Co's
WELL-KNOWN
BRANDY (•••••) *****
WEISKY (FINEST HIGHLAND MALT).
CLARETS and CHAMPAGNE.
PRICES LIST ON APPLICATION.
SHEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, 2nd December, 1880. 1859
FOR SALE.
THE BUNGALOW of the Undersigned at
POKFOOLIE, containing Three large
Bedrooms, Dining Room 30 by 30 feet, Pantry
and Bath Rooms, Stables, Coach-house, Cook-
house and Kitchens, Servants' Quarters, the whole
abundantly and handsomely furnished.

For Particulars, apply to
RICHARD DEACON.
 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1880. [1880]

WANTED, a Copy of the CHRONICLE
 and DIRECTORY for 1887. Apply
 to "DAILY PRESS" Office,
 Hongkong, 26th November, 1880. [1883]

PREMIERS WANTED, for RAISING the
 Steamship "BRAHMA CASTLE,"
 onk in Penang Harbour on the 23rd ultimo, in
 bank 9 to 10 fathoms of water, and by latest

TENDERS must state the percentage on the value of the vessel only, when raised, for which the work can be undertaken, and the declared percentage must include all claims.
 TENDERS must be lodged in Peking on or before the 10th proximo, with Messrs. SANDERSON, BUTTERY & Co., who do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.
 ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
 Agents.
 Hongkong, 20th November, 1880. [1811
 NOTICE.

The undersigned have been appointed Sole
 Agents of the ELLIOTT'S METAL
 COMPANY, Birmingham, for Hongkong and
 China.
 MELGHERS & Co.
 Hongkong, 14th September, 1880. [1474]

THE INTERNATIONAL MARINE IN-
 SURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,
 OF LIVERPOOL.
 The Undersigned, having been appointed
 Agents of the above Company, are prepared to
 GRANT POLICES on MARINE RISKS to
 all Ports of the World.
 ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
 Hongkong, 29th November, 1880. [1840]

L. C. PLUMBERS, GASFITTERS,
 ROYERSMITHS, & BRASSFOUNDERS,
 OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE—FLETCHER'S
 BUILDINGS, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.
 WORKS—SPRING GARDENS, WANCHEI.
 H. H. J. GAUPP & CO.,
 CHRONOMETERS, WATCH, AND CLOCK-
 MAKERS, JEWELLERS, ROYERSMITHS, AND
 OFFICIANS,
 have been appointed Sole Agents for VOIGT-
 MANDER and SOHN'S Celebrated MARINE
 GLASSES, OPERA GLASSES, and TELESCOPES.
 Hongkong, 4th September, 1880. 1885
 DENTAL NOTICE.
 DR. ROGERS has removed to Shanghai

will return to Hongkong early in the
winter as usual.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1880. [32]

ESTABLISHED IN 1852.

P. FISHER'S NEWSPAPER AD-
VERTISING AGENCY.

ROOMS 10 AND 21, MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE,
CALIFORNIA STREET, S. F.

N.B.—ADVERTISING SOLICITED FOR ALL News-
papers published on the Pacific Coast, the Sand-
wich Islands, Polynesia, Mexico, Porto, Panama,
Colombia, the British Colonies, New Zealand, the
Australian Colonies, the Eastern States, and
Europe. Files of nearly every Newspaper pub-
lished on the Pacific Coast are kept constantly
on hand, and all Advertisements are allowed free
of charge during business hours.

For the "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" is kept on
hand at the Office of I. P. FISHER, who is autho-
rized to receive Advertisements.

P. O. N. O.

Appointment to H. E. S. H. A. KENDRICK, H. E. ADMIRAL RYDER, and H. H. THE LAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA, having returned from his tour to Peking and the Northern States, has now the satisfaction to offer a BOOK, CHINESE, and more COMPLETE COLLECTION of the most interesting and other in the Empire. A Panorama of HONGKONG, and Views of the surrounding country, including KUNGWAN, have recently been added to the store. A FEW MINUTURES of superior excellence and high finish, painted by native artists under special patronage, from 3/-

K. GRIZZARD holds authority to SIGN
STUDIO, QUEEN'S ROAD,
Nearby on, at the Hongkong Hotel.

"JAPAN GAZETTE,"
YOKOHAMA.

HAVING been appointed Agent in HONGKONG

Hongkong Daily Press Office,
Hongkong, 28rd Mar. 1877.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

FOR HAYEE AND LONDON.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. and O. steamer *Gladie*, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 30th November, and may be expected to arrive in Hongkong on the 6th December.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

A MAIL WITH COVER.

For Straits Settlements, Calcutta, Bombay, Aden, Suez, Europe, via Trieste.—For *Vorwarts*—to-day, the 2nd instant, at 10.30 A.M.

For Straits Settlements and Bombay.—For *Geelong*, to-day, the 2nd inst., at 2.30 P.M.

For Fuzhou, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Calcutta, to-day, the 2nd instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Shanghai.—For *Pechili*, to-day, the 2nd instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy, and Hongkong.—For *Keung-tai*, to-day, the 2nd inst., at 2 P.M.

For Bangkok.—For *Angkorath*, to-day, on Saturday, the 4th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Japan, via Kobe.—For *Nigata-Maru*, on Friday, the 10th instant, at 5 P.M.

His Excellency the Governor is pleased to order, under Section XII. of the Post Office Ordinance, 1876, that the Late Fee charged for correspondence posted after certain hours, for Post Office packets, except for Late Letters, to Shanghai, &c., shall be 10 Cents, instead of 18 as hitherto.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet, "DIEPPE-MAIL," will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 28th December, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom, and Europe, via Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Borneo, and the Australian colonies, via Hongkong, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

NOTICES FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS.

THE FRENCH MAIL.

1 P.M. Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open until 10 P.M. of office hours.

WEDNESDAY.

A.M. Post Office opens.

10 A.M. Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and paterous ceases.

11 A.M. Post Office closes, except for Late Letters, to 11.10 A.M. Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 1.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely.

1.40 P.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 18 Cents until time of departure.

THE ENGLISH MAIL.—DAY OF DEPARTURE.

1 P.M. Money Order Office closes.

2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and paterous ceases.

3 P.M. Mails closed, except for Late Letters, to 10 P.M. Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 1.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely.

1.40 P.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

REGULATIONS AS TO SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS.

1.—Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, Non-commissioned Officers,* Army Schoolmasters, non-Superintending or First Class or Schoolmasters, may post with one-half letter to the United Kingdom via Brindisi or via Naples at the rate of four cents (in *Impieci*) each, which may be prepaid either in *Impieci* or in Hongkong Stamps.

2.—The above privileges apply to letters addressed to the Privates and Non-commissioned Officers named above.

3.—All such letters prepaid at the rate of two cents per penny, will be forwarded to and from the United Kingdom by private steamer and not by the mail packets.

4.—Private steamers leave Hongkong for London about every ten days, and are from six to eight days in the voyage.

5.—The letters must not exceed half an ounce. To handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent, but with the ends open.

6.—If from a Soldier or Sailor his class and rank, and the name of his regiment or the letter, or cover of which must be signed by the Commanding Officer, with name of regiment, ship, &c., in full.

7.—If from a Soldier or Sailor, his class and designation, and name of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full.

8.—Soldiers and Sailors have no privileges, beyond those of books or papers, nor can these be repaid with Imperial Stamps.

* But not Warrant Officers, viz.—Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Bombardier, or Carpenter.

Many boxes of letters, are received at the Post office not sealed, that is to say the box is open and the sealing wax, but there is no impression of a seal.

The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with one recognisable seal, and of sending a chit—marked "Postage"—with the omission of the latter precaution leads to the loss of the letters or the contents of the box ever reached the Post Office; the omission of the former, as to whether parties of them might not have been subjected for the sake of the Postage Stamps.

To provide means of remitting small sums money to or from this Colony and between the ports of China, the Postmasters and Agents of the United Kingdom, have arranged to receive Hongkong Postage Stamps from foreign residents.

The Stamps tendered for sale must not exceed the value of the remittance, and must be in such condition as to be easily cancelled.

Separate Stamps will be purchased. They are presented personally or accompanied by a note.

Stamps containing Stamps should be registered, and the Stamps should be secured from forgery.

STAMP OFFICE.

The above will be being now provided with a note, and the stamps will be cancelled in the same manner as Cheque Books. Large receipts may also be stamped if required.

NOTICES FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING SHIP.

When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not so large as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to take the letters to the Post Office, and pay the rate in the name of the ship, and prepaid 8 cents half ounce as usual. The Post Office then undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of departure, and of forwarding the correspondence. It is requested that the letters be posted if possible one day before the date fixed for sailing.

TELEGRAMS.

Persons who send Telegrams to Hongkong through Post in this are required to have them in flat or square instead of round, & it is impossible to pack round ones securely in the mail.

It is believed that the tea will travel in the mail, but it is not so liable to be damaged as to be bulged.

By 3 by 14 inches is suggested as a good size.

The lines should not have sharp corners.

REGULATIONS FOR THE EXCHANGE OF LOCAL AND INTERCOLONIAL MONEY ORDERS.

—The Post Office of Hongkong issues money orders on the Empire of Japan, New Zealand, Queensland, South Australia, and the Straits Settlements, and

—Money orders may also be obtained at the High Post Office, Shanghai, on any of the above places in Japan.

—The exchange of Local Money Orders to Hongkong and Shanghai continues to be subject to the same law laid down in the paragraph.

—The Commission to be charged on all money orders named above is as follows:—

—Sum not exceeding £5 or \$25, 25 Cents.

—£5 to £10, or \$25 to \$50, 50 Cents.

—No order must exceed £10 or \$50, nor more than two such orders be issued to the person, in favour of the same party, by the same day.

—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted from the other Ports of China by means of

